

**MISSING YOU ALWAYS**  
 You never said I'm leaving  
 You never said goodbye  
 You were gone before we  
 knew it  
 And only God knew why  
 A million times we needed  
 you  
 A million times we cried  
 If love alone could of saved  
 you  
 You never would have died  
 In life we loved you dearly  
 In death we love you still  
 In our heart you hold a place  
 That no one could ever fill  
 It broke our hearts to lose  
 you,  
 but you didn't go alone  
 For part of us went with you,  
 The day god took you home



### Acknowledgement

The family of the late Ruffus Lee Jones wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for all acts of sympathy expressed during the passing of their loved one. Each expression served as a source of strength. May God Bless each of you always.

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# CELEBRATION *Of Life*



*Ruffus Lee*  
**JONES**



**MEMORIAL SERVICE**

**Saturday** | **JULY**  
**18, 2026** | **2:00 PM**

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FEBRUARY 4, 1950 – JULY 9, 2026



# Obituary

Rufus Lee Jones was born February 9, 1950, to the late Billy Banks and Lilliemae Jones in Mebane, North Carolina. Rufus was educated in the Mebane School System in North Carolina.

He moved to Philadelphia at an early age and was employed at Sterling Winsor Industries, where he was a faithful and dedicated employee until his retirement.

Rufus accepted Christ at an early age. He enjoyed wrestling, westerns, listening to oldies, and just enjoying life.

On July 9th , 2026, God called our beloved Ruffus home

Preceding him in death is his mother, Lilliemae Jones; his father, Billy Banks; his stepfather, Squire Howell; one sister, Gloria Jones; and one brother, Andre Jones of Philadelphia.

He leaves to cherish his children: his daughter Angela Jones of Dixon, Georgia and sons Kevin Jones of Philadelphia and Laron Gibbs of Philadelphia; and three grandchildren of Philadelphia.

He also leaves to cherish his siblings: Gregory (Nadine) of Mebane, North Carolina; Gary Jones; Calvin Jones; Angelo Jones; Priscilla Jones; Linda Jones Lyles (Craig) of Salem, New Jersey; and Darlene Jones of Philadelphia; and a host of nieces and nephews.



*Sorrowly submitted,  
The Family*

*I missed you today  
I will miss you tomorrow  
Tears in my eyes  
And a heart full of sorrow  
I hold on to the memories  
Of the great times we had  
I grieve for what I lost  
But am grateful for what I  
had.*

# Order of Service

## Processional

Opening Selection .....“Rough Side of the Mountain” – F.C. Barnes

Scripture Reading

Old Testament ..... Psalms 23

New Testament ..... John 14:1-3

Prayer of Comfort ..... Rev. Gilbert Kinsey

Selection .....“Walk Around Heaven All Day”

The Mighty Clouds of Joy

Remarks/Reflections

Selection .....“The Battle Is the Lord’s” - Yolanda Adams

Obituary..... Rev. Gilbert Kinsey

Eulogy ..... Rev. Gilbert Kinsey

Benediction ..... Rev. Gilbert Kinsey

## Recessional

## Repast

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